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In re the Application of

Takahiro ONIZUKA et al..

Attn: Applications Branch

Application No.: 09/812,555

Docket No.: 108980

Filed: March 21, 2001

For: POWER DISTRIBUTOR FOR A VEHICLE AND PRODUCTION METHOD
THEREOF

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION
DECLARATION AND FORMAL DRAWINGS ALREADY FILED

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, filing date granted, mailed May 18, 2001 (copy attached), the executed Declaration of the inventors and payment of the surcharge were filed on April 10, 2001. A copy of the executed Declaration as filed, a copy of the Letter to the Official Draftsperson and a copy of the stamped postcard receipt are attached hereto.

In addition, formal drawings were filed on April 23, 2001. A copy of the formal drawings, a copy of the Transmittal Letter and a copy of the stamped postcard receipt are attached hereto.

Entry of these documents on April 10, 2001 and April 23, 2001 should have completed all of the filing formalities. Accordingly, prompt issuance of a Filing Receipt, and prompt examination and allowance of this application are respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.

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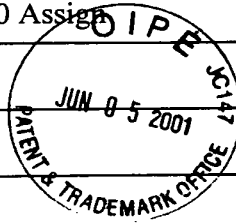
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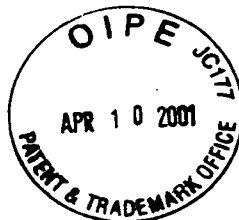
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LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

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Sir:

Please substitute the attached 14 sheets of formal drawings depicting Figures 1-15 for the corresponding drawings filed with the application.

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